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The Ministry for National Defense is the supreme military organization in the Federal People's Republic of Yugoslavia. It is organized as follows:

Minister for National Defense and Supreme Commander: Josip Broz Tito Assistants to the Minister: Lieutenant General Ivan Gosnjak Lieutenant General Savo Drljevic

Departments: Ministry of the Army Ministry of the Navy

Army for Defense of the Regime (Armija Odbrane Poredka)

General Headquarters Rear Echelon Command

- 2. The Army Air Forces are now under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of the Army but a new Air Ministry within the Ministry of National Defense is being formed.
- 3. Despite this system of divided commands, a centralized unit has been achieved through unification of commands, inasmuch as the Minister of National Defense is simultaneously Commander of all Army and Naval forces, as well as Minister of the Army. His first assistant is the administrative chief of the Ministry of the Army, while his second assistant is Commander of the Rear Echelon - which includes war industry and organization of supplies.
- 4. The Department heads are listed as follows:

Ministry of the Army

Ministry of the Navy

Naval Fleet - Commander

Army for Defense of the Regime (APO): Licutement General Aleksandar Rankovic.

General Headquarters - Director

Rear Echelon Command

Air Forces Command Political Representative of the

Ministry of National Defense

: Lieutenant General Ivan Gosnjak

: Minister Vicko Krstulovic

: Vice Admiral Josip Cerni

also Minister of the Interior

: Lieutenant General Koca Popovic

: Lieutenant General Savo Drljevic

: Lieutenant General Zdenko Ulepic

: Lieutenant General Slavko Rodic

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5. The Army Command of the Yugoslav Army covers the following three groups:

First Army Group : Headquarters - Zagreb Second Army Group : Headquarters - Novi Sad Third Army Group : Headquarters - Nis

The army group headquarters are not permanent. The generals commanding the army groups are Bosko Siljegovic, Danilo Lekic and Peko Dapcevic.

: Includes two armored and one motorized division Armored Army

under the command of Lieutenant General Veliko

Kovacevic.

: Under the command of Guard Commander Lieutenant Guard Troops

General Milan Zezelj. The troops form a combined

: Lieutenant General Mihajlo Apostolski

motorized division.

Military organizations not under the jurisdiction of the army groups are:

Army for Defense of the Regime (APO) - which includes KNOJ National Militia Military UDB and other armed formations for national defense.

The Main Intelligence Center for Offensive and Defensive services are under the jurisdiction of the APO, with the following branches: military, political, economic-industrial, and diplomatic intelligence services.

6. The army groups constitute two armics each; thus the Yugoslav Army has six territorial armies and one motorized army.

Commander of First Army : Lieutenant General Vlado Terzic Commander of Second Army Commander of Third Army Lieutenant General Vaso Jovanovic : : Lieutenant General Milan Kupresanin

Commander of Fourth Army : Lieutenant General Dusan Kveder Commander of Fifth Army : Lieutenant General Kosta Nadj

The Air Command is composed of six air divisions and one air transport

division. The Command of the Air Forces school is in Delnice. The divisions are deployed as follows:

l Air Division : Skoplje 2 Air Division : Zagreb 3 Air Division : Ljubljana 4 Air Division : Sombor 5 Air Division : Rajlovac 6 Air Division : Mostar

Commander of Sixth Army

The present strength of the Air Force consists of twelve air regiments and three A r Force school regiments. The Air Force transport center has its headquarters in Ljubljana where a parachute division is being formed. The anti-air defense command with headquarters in Belgrade is under the jurisdiction of the air command. The commander is Lieutenant General Danilo Tempus. Air defense of the Adriatic coast is no longer under the jurisdiction of anti-air defense but now is under the Mavy command. Creation of a reserve Air Force staff is the responsibility of the "Peoples Wings" (Narodna Krila) the head of which is Lieutenant General Kado Ambrozic. Colonel Mihajlo Velimirovic is secretary. The civil air center is in Vrsac.

8. The Army for Defense of the Regime comprises the following:

KNOJ

: Korpus Narodne Odbrane, which includes ten divisions. Commander - General Jovan Terzic, with headquarters in Belgrade.

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Korpus Obavestajne Sluzbe, central intelligence service for offensive and defensive services, which includes the UDB.

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National Militia - Regional and local armed police formation,

9. The Naval Fleet Command comprises the following:

Navy Command with headquarters in Split Command of the River Fleet with headquarters in Zemun Command of the Lake Fleet on the Ohrid, Skadar and Prespansko lakes.

- 10. The Supreme Military Council of the Ministry of National Defense is composed of the following generals: Mihajlo Djordjevic, president; Todor Popadic, secretary; members, Lakovic, Mihajlo Jankovic, Nikola Stambolic, and Radovan Ilic. The Supreme Court of the Militia is in Belgrade. President of the military court is General Mihajlo Krdzic. The Supreme State Prosecutor is Colonel Milos Minic.
- 11. The Rear Echelon Command has the following duties: financial, economic and industrial supplying of the entire army with war material, transportation, fuel, garrison supplies and livestock. The Rear Echelon Commander is Savo Drljevic.
- 12. In case of a war, the Supreme Command will be organized as follows:

Commander

Josip Broz Tito

Assistant Commander

Svetozar Vukmanovic-Tempo

Chief of Staff

Koca Popovic

Commander of the Northern Front: Commander of the Southern Front: General Peko Dapcevic

General Dusan Lukic

#### 13. Central Committee of the Communist Party of Montenegro

#### a. Politburo:

Secretary to the Politburo for Montenegro: Blazo Jovanovic

Organization Secretary

Andrija Mugosa Sava Brkovic

Members

Jefta Scepanovic Sava Joksimovic Vlada Buzovic Komnen Cerovic

Spasa Drakic Radomir Komatina

# Membership:

Mitar Sakic Vojo Biljanovic Savo Brkovic Vlado Bozovic Veljko Vlahovic Svetozar Vukmanovic Dusan Luka Vojovic Perisa Vujosevic Peko Dapcevic Spaso Drakic Milovan Djilas Nikola Djakovic Savo Zaric Zivko Zizic Radovan Zogovic Veljko Zekovic Blazo Jovanovic Savo Jaksimovic Lidija Jevanovic

Jovo Kapisic

Radomir Komatina Nikola Kovacevic Pavle Lopicic Andrija Mogosa Veljko Micunovic Stefan Mitrovic Bozo Mitrovic Ilija Martinovic Krsto Popivoda Punisa Perovic Vuko Radovic Komnen Cerovic Djuro Logorovic Jefto-Cajo Scepanovic Velizar Skerovic

Social composition: seven workers, four peasants and twenty-six intellectuals



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#### c. Candidates for membership of the Central Committee

Asanovic, Dusan
Boricic, Milo
Vojinovic, Radovan
Vuksanovic, Milan
Vujosevic, Djoko
Micunovic, Vukosava
Ojdanic, Dobrila
Radus, Savo
Stanisic, Radomir
Starovic, Savo

Social composition: Three workers, four peasants and four intellectuals.

### d. Central Revisions Committee

The following have been elected for the Central Revisions Committee:

Bogavac, Velimir Vujacic, Savo Golubovic, Nikola Djakonovic, Nikola Ojdanic, Mihajlo Petrovic, Mato Rakocevic, Novica Samardzic, Jovo Soskic, Radojica

Social composition: Two workers, two peasants and five intellectuals.

## 14. Data on the members of the Communist Party of Montenegro

- a. Bakic, Milan: Born in Titograd county in 1908; lawyer, member of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia since 1924.
- b. Biljanovic, Jovo: Born in 1914 at Cetinje; technical student; member of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia sin 194.
- c. Brkovic, Savo: Born in Titograd county in 1906, law student; Party member since 1925; until present member of the Politburo, Provincial Committee of the Communist Party for Montenegro.
- d. Bozovic. Vlade: Born in Titograd in 1914; worker; Party member since 1934; member of the Politburo, Provincial Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro.
- e. Vojvodic, Teodor: Born in Andrijevic county in 1915; student; Party member since 1938; director of Grganization for Instructions Management of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party Yugoslavia for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.
- f. <u>Vlanovic, Veljko:</u> Born in Kolasin county in 1914; publisher; member of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- g. Vukmanovic. Svetozar-Tempo: Born in Bar county in 1912; lawyer;
  Party member since 1935; member of the Central Committee, Communist
  Party of Yugoslavia; lieutenant general.
- h. Vukovic, Dusan: Born in Titograd county in 1910; peasant; Party member since 1935; chief administrator for staff of the Provincial Committee of Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.
- i. Vujovic, Luka: Born in Cetinje county in 1917; worker; Party member since 1938; instructor Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.

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- j. <u>Vujosevic, Perisa</u>; Born in Titograd in 1909; worker; Party member since 1931; Secretary in the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia Titograd; a partisan in 1941.
- k. Dapcevic. Peko: Born in 1913 in Cetinje county; law student; Party member since 1933; lieutenant general.
- 1. <u>Drakic, Spaso:</u> Born in 1904 in Titograd county; peasant; Party member since 1935; candidate for the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia; up to the present member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro. Partisan in 1941.
- m. <u>Djilas, Milovan:</u> Born in Kolasin county in 1911, publisher, Party member since 1932, member of the Politburo, Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia. Lieutenant general; in 1933 was in Lepoglava prison for three years.
- n. Djakonovic, Nikola: Born in Bar county in 1911, lawyer, Party member since 1937; partisan in 1941.
- Zaric Savo: Born in Danilograd county in 1912, student of agronomy, Farty member since 1931; partisan in 1941.
- p. Zizie Ziwko: Born in Kolasin county in 1912, lawyer, Party member since 1938; partisan in 1941.
- Q. Zogovic Radovan: Born in Andrijevac county in 1907; writer; Party member since 1934; candidate, Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Agitprop administration of the Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- r. Jovanovic Blazo: Born in Titograd county 1907. Lawyer, Party member since 1924. Member of the Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; Secretary of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro. Secretary of the Politburo for Montenegro.
- s. <u>Joksimovic, Savo:</u> Born in Veran county in 1913; law student; Party member since 1935, candidate for Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Politburo for Montenegro.
- t. <u>Jovanovic, Lidija:</u> Born in Fiume in 1915; worker, Party member from 1934; participated in partisan struggle.
- u. <u>Kapicic, Jovo:</u> Born in Cetinje in 1917, student, Party member since 1937, member of the Central Revisions Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia. Member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- v. Komatina, Radomir: Born in Beran county 1922, student, Party member since 1940. Member of the Politburo, Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- w. Kovacevic, Mikola: Born in Niksic county 1890; teacher, Party member since 1920, member of the Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- Lopicic, Pavle: Born in Cetinj county in 1916; peasant; Party member since 1938; member of the organization for Instructions of Administration, Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- y. Mugosa, Andrija: Born in Titograd county in 1910; worker; Party member since 1933; Organizations Secretary for the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro; at present Organizations Secretary of the Politburo for Montenegro.
- z. Micunovic, Veljko: Born in Cetinj county in 1916; student, Party member since 1934; candidate for the Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Auguslavia; member of the Provincial Committee, Committee, Committee, Committee, Committee, Co

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- aa. Mitrovic, Stefan: Born in 1909 in Bar county; publisher, Party member since 1932; member of the directorate for agitation and propaganda of the Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- bb. <u>Mitrovic, Bozo:</u> Born in 1907 in Beran county in 1907; peasant, Party member since 1939; secretary in the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; partisan in 1941.
- Martinovic, Ilija: Born in Niksic in 1905; worker, Party member since 1928; secretary in County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia, Niksic.
- dd. Popivoda, Krsto: Born in Cetinj county in 1910; lawyer, Party member since 1933; member of the Central Committee, Communist Party, Yugoslavia.
- ee. Perovic, Punisa: Born in Danilovgrad county in 1911; lawyer, Party member since 1933; candidate for the Central Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; up to the present Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia.
- ff. Radovic, Vuko: Born in Kolasin county in 1910; professor, Party member since 1941; member of the Control Commission of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.
- gg. Cerovic (fnu): Born in Savnik in 1916; student, Party member since 1939, up to the present member of the Politburo, Provincial Committee. Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro.
- hh. Gagorovic Djuro: Born in Danilovgrad county in 1904; worker, Party member since 1932; member of the Central Committee of Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Titograd; partisan in 1941.
- ii. Scepanovic, Jefto: Born in Danilovgrad county in 1911; lawyer, Party member since 1935; member of the Politburo of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro.
- jj. Skerovic, Velizar: Born in Danilovgrad county in 1924; student, Party member since 1942; secretary of the Provincial Committee, Communist Youth Group for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.

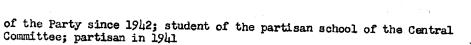
# 15. Candidates for membership in the Central Committee of the Communist Party for Montenegro

- a. Asanovic, Dusan: Born in Titograd count in 1914, student of agronomy; Party member since 1939, memb of the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia-Titograd; partisan in 1941.
- b. Boricic, Milo: Born in Beran county in 1922, student. Party member since 1941; Secretary of the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia Berane; partisan in 1941.
- c. Vojinovic, Radovan: Born in Savni county in 1916; teacher; Party member since 1942; member of the directorate for agitation and propaganda of the Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.
- d. Vukasovic, Milan: Born in Hercegnovi county in 1922; worker, Party member since 1942; from the Party organization Titograd; partisan in 1941.
- e. <u>Vujosevic, Djoko:</u> Born in Titograd; worker, Party member since 1936; member of the Communist Party of Titograd; partisan in 1941.
- f. <u>Micunovic, Vukosava:</u> Born in Cetinje county in 1921, peasant, Party member since 1942; Organizations Secretary of the Provincial Committee, Communist Youth Group for Montenegro; partisan in 1941.
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- h. Ojdanic, Dobrila: Born in Beran county in 1918; peasant, Party member since 1939; partisan in 1941.
- 1. Rakus, Savo: Born in Andrijevac county in 1928; lawyer; Party member since 1941; Secretary of the County Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia-Plevlje; partisan since 1941.
- j. Stanisic, Radomir: Born in Danilovgrad county in 1914; peasant; Party member since 1937; Secretary of the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; partisan in 1941.
- k. Stabovic, Savo: Born in Kotor in 1914; worker, Secretary of the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia; partisan in 1941.

# 16. Members of the Central Revisions Committee for Montenegro

- a. Bogavac, Velimir: Born in Berane county in 1914; lawyer; Party member since 1936; member of the directorate for agitation and propaganda, Provincial Committee, Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro; partisan since July 1941.
- b. Vujacic, Savo: Born in Niksic county in 1910; worker; Party member since 1935; member of the County Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia-Niksic; partisan in 1941.
- c. Golubovic, Nikola: Born in Plev County in 1920; graduate of the central technical school; member of Communist Party of Yugoslavia since 1941; a partisan in 1941.
- d. <u>Djakonovic, Nikola:</u> Born in Bar county in 1911; lawyer; Party member since 1937; partisan in 1941.
- e. Ojdanic, Mihajlo: Born in Berane county in 1912; peasant; Party member since 1935; Secretary of the Country Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia- Berane; partisan since 1941.
- f. Petrovic Mato: Born in Kotor county in 1909; worker, Party member since 1934; partisan in 1941.
- g. Rakocevic Novica: Born in Kolasin county in 1913; lawyer; Party member since 1938; partisan since 1941.
- h. Samardzic Jovo: Born in Hercegnovi county in 1902; teacher; Party member since 1941; Secretary in the County Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia, Hercegnovi; partisan since 1941,
- i. Soskic, Radojica: Born in Andrijev county in 1921; peasant; Party member since 1941; Secretary of the County Committee, Communist Party of Yugo-slavia-Andrijevic; partisan since 1941.
- j. Todor Vojvodic: President of the Control Committee of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia for Montenegro.

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